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PASTORAL: BOTH CHURCHES

If you are aware of any member of our congregations who is unwell, going into hospital or just struggling in general, please let us know:

For <u>Christ Church</u> contact Veronica Milward on 763468 or Liz Biddulph on 764456.

For <u>Good Shepherd</u> contact Chris Nickholds on 753969 or Jane Brough on 762605.

Rev Carol Harley is available for anyone who would like a confidential conversation about any matter. To make an appointment, please call her on 755316.

SOCIAL COMMITTEE NEWS AT CC

CHRISTMAS CONCERT IN CC ON SATURDAY 03 DECEMBER 2016 GIVEN BY THE BREWOOD SINGERS - 7.30PM: Christmas comes early to CC this year with a concert to be given by The Brewood Singers. Tickets will be on sale shortly at a cost of £8 for an adult, £4 for a young person and £20 for a family ticket. Please make a note of this event in your diary.

NEW DATE FOR THE CHRISTMAS FAYRE-SATURDAY 10 DECEMBER 2016: It has been necessary to rearrange the date of the Christmas Fayre in CC and we are hopeful that as many people as possible will support this event. Stallholders needed: speak to Phil Dent for details

SALE OF OUR OWN CHURCH'S CHRISTMAS CARDS: The sales of the cards is moving at a pace so you are advised to purchase soon to avoid disappointment. The cost is £3.50 for a pack of six cards each of which depicts one of the windows in our church "the adoration of the Magi"

PARISH NOTICES: Christ Church and

The Church of the Good Shepherd for the

week beginning Sunday 23 October 2016

The Last Sunday After Trinity

Bible Sunday



WELCOME

Christ Church:

8.00am Holy Communion Rev Julia Cody

11.00am Parish Communion Rev Carol Harley & Caroline Seaton

Good Shepherd

9.30am Family Communion Rev Carol Harley, Jane Brough & Richard

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THE COLLECT

Merciful God, teach us to be faithful in change and uncertainty, that trusting in your word and obeying your will we may enter the unfailing joy of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

God of all grace, your Son Jesus Christ fed the hungry with the bread of life and the word of his kingdom: renew your people with your heavenly grace, and in all our weakness

sustain us by your true and living bread; who is alive and reigns, now and for ever. **Amen.**

This Week's Readings
Jeremiah 14: 7-10, 19-22

Luke 18: 9-14

Next Week's Readings

Ephesians 1: 11-end Luke 6: 20-31

If you would like a copy of today's readings please ask a Sidesperson

REGULAR SERVICES IN TETTENHALL WOOD PARISH

Christ Church: Sunday 8.00am Holy Communion

11.00 Sunday Praise [1st Sunday of the month]
11.00am Parish Communion [all other Sundays]

Thursday 9.30am Holy Communion

Good Shepherd: Sunday 9.30am Family Communion

Wednesday 9.30am Holy Communion

PRAYER POINTS

Please include these items in your prayers this week:

- Fabric & Finance & Worship Teams
- Christian refugees
- Those suffering from Parkinsons

Good Shepherd Prayer Area: Willow Bank, Lea Bank

This week:

Tuesday 1.30-3.30pm A Place of Welcome at CC

Wednesday 9.30am Communion at GS

Thursday 7.30am Prayer Breakfast at CC

9.30am Communion at CC12.30pm Prayer Lunch at CC

PARISH NOTICES

CHRISTIAN AID Christmas cards and Advent calendars: will be on display at Good Shepherd church today for orders to be taken.

FAIRTRADE GOODS: will be on sale at both services at **Christ Church** next week. Any special requests to Ann Fulljames (tel. 425710) by Wednesday please. Christian Aid Christmas cards and Advent calendars will also be on display for orders to be taken.

CHRISTIAN AID Winter Quiz: give your brain a winter shake-up and support Christian Aid at the same time. Sheets available @ £1.50 from David Fulljames or Angela Williams. Good Luck!

Rehearsals for this year's Carol Service: will begin at 7.00 pm in the small room at Tettenhall Wood URC on Tuesday 8 November. The Carol Service will be at 4.00pm at Christ Church on Sunday 18 December. For further details please see: John Collins 01902.750800 jtycollins@aol.com (Christ Church) John Smith (Tettenhall Wood URC) Andrew Davies (St. Columb's)

Annual Memorial Services will take place at Christ Church on Sunday 6 November, and at Good Shepherd on Sunday 13 November, both at 4.00pm. If you would like the name of a loved one read out at the service, please add it to the list at the back of each church.

Remembrance Sunday 13 November: there will be a joint service at Tettenhall Wood United Reformed Church starting at 10.30am. There will be no 11 o'clock service at CC, but 8.00 at CC and 9.30 at GS continue as normal.

BARNARDOS COFFEE MORNING: The annual coffee morning in aid of Barnardos will be held at the home of Roger & Rosemary Malpas at 12, The Heronry, Wightwick on Thursday 17 November, starting at 10.30am. We will have a wide range of goods on sale including Christmas cakes, mince pies, marmalade, jam, mincemeat etc. There will also be a bring & buy, raffle and of course Barnardos Christmas cards. Do please come and have your first taste of Christmas!

M.A.D. Group: anyone interested in joining a group looking at how we develop Mission And Discipleship in the parish, please speak to Rev Phil. The brief will be to consider CONTACT with people currently outside the church; NURTURE of those exploring the Christian faith; and how we all may GROW more fully as disciples of Christ.

Holy Land Pilgrimage

Rev Phil Wootton is leading a pilgrimage to the Holy Land 18 to 26 February 2017, staying in Galilee, Jerusalem and Bethlehem. Price £1675, includes flights and all meals. If interested, please contact him 01902 751116 or philwootton@sky.com

EVENTS ELSEWHERE

CHRISTIAN AID's travelling "Witness" exhibition is coming to St. Peter's Church from 15 - 28 October. See poster at back of church for more details or speak to David Fulljames or Angela Williams.